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37 CFR 1.322 & 37 CFR 1.323 REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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Sir:

The following is a request for a certificate of correction in Serial Number
09/273,102, now Patent Number 7,257,554.

A certificate of correction under 35 USC 254 is respectfully requested in the
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The exact locations where the errors appear in the patent and patent application
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On page 2, in field (56), under "Foreign Patent Documents", in column 2, line 5, delete "JP 10-171887 6/1998". (Entry Repeated).

(List of References cited by applicant and considered by examiner dated Oct. 28, 2002, sheet 2 of 2, under "Foreign Patent Documents", entry 1)

In column 1, line 42, delete "finds" and insert - - funds - -, therefor.
(Specification filed on Mar. 19, 1999, page 1, line 25)

In column 1, line 47, delete "finds" and insert - - funds - -, therefor.
(Amendment to the specification filed on Jul. 06, 2001, page 2 of 14, line 3)

In column 1, line 57, delete "though" and insert - - through - -, therefor.
(Specification filed on Mar. 19, 1999, page 2, line 11)

In column 4, line 46, delete "1110" and insert - - 110 - -, therefor.
(Specification filed on Mar. 19, 1999, page 7, line 12)

In column 10, line 5, delete "nonce" and insert - - nonce₁ - -, therefor.
(Specification filed on Mar. 19, 1999, page 16, line 25)

The requested corrections are attached on Form PTO 1050.

Respectfully Submitted

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